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The appended table represents the six-phase development of the East German government Chemical Import Plan for 1955.

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(to) tons  
(TRbl) thousand rubles

Product	Proposed by DHZ, 4 Aug 54	Protocol, 11 Aug 54	Amendments, Pro- tocol of 18 Oct 54	Amendments, Pro- tocol of 10 Nov 54	Plan as of 31 Dec 54	Plan as of 15 Jan 55
Essential oils	12,000,000.-- DME	11,000 TRbl	14,800 TRbl		10,900 TRbl	10,900 to
Aniline oil	2,100 to	1,500 to			1,500 to	1,500 to
Cellulose acetate	1,600 to	1,600 to		2,100 to	2,300 to	2,300 to
Beeswax	10 to	5 to			5 to	5 to
Blanc fixe	1,500 to	700 to	1,000 to	1,000 to	1,000 to	1,000 to
Fuller's earth	200 to	-			800 to	800 to
Litharge (lead oxide)	250 to	-	150 to	125 to	125 to	125 to
Red lead oxide	3,000 to	1,200 to	2,000 to	2,000 to	2,500 to	2,500 to
Lead tetra-ethyl	300 to	300 to			300 to	300 to
Borax	3,000 to	3,000 to			3,000 to	3,000 to
Bronzes	250 to				120 to	120 to
Cadmium sulfide	10 to	20 to			5 to	5 to
Cerite fluoride	30 to	6 to			6 to	6 to
Zirconium compounds	--	10 to				
Denmar	200 to					
Various chemicals	8,000,000.-- DME	4,100 TRbl			3,705 TRbl	3,750 TRbl
Rare gases	150,000.-- DME	200,000 TRbl			200 TRbl	200 TRbl
Electric fuses	1,500,000 each	1,500,000 each	3,000,000 each	3,000,000 each	3,000,000 each	3,000,000 each
Ferrous oxide, red	150 to	-		55 to	55 to	55 to
Dyes, cosmetic	5 to	500 TRbl	400 TRbl		400 TRbl	400 TRbl
Dyes, food industry	50 to	50 to			50	50 to
Intermediate dyes products	50 to	5,300 TRbl	4,300 TRbl		4,300 TRbl	4,300 TRbl
Fusel oil	90 to	75 to	50 to		50 to	50 to
Ina escent gas mantles	1,000,000 each	600 TRbl			1,540 TRbl	945,000 each
Tanning substances	5,200 to	7,000 to	5,500 to		4,000 to	4,000 to
Glycerine	800 to	600 to		750 to	750 to	750 to
Wood oil	1,500 to	650 to	1,000 to	1,000 to	1,000 to	1,000 to
Ceramic dyes	100,000.-- DME	80 TRbl			80 TRbl	80 to
Cobalt salts	30 to	10 to			10 to	10 to
Resin	1,400 to	1,000 to			1,000 to	1,000 to

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Copal	350 to					50 to
Artificial resin	800 to					
Linseed oil for varnish	6,000 to	350 to	750 to	600 to	650 to	650 to
Raw linseed oil	5,000 to	5,000 to	8,500 to		5,000 to	5,000 to
Lithium compounds		10 to				2,000 to
Lithopone	1,500 to				6 to	6 to
Metallic compounds	30 to	1,000 TRbl	1,400 to	2,000 to	2,000 to	2,000 to
Methylene chloride	750 to	750 to			460 TRbl	460 TRbl
Sodium hydrosulfite	600 to	300 to			750 to	750 to
Sodium perborate	700 to	800 to	600 to	400 to	600 to	600 to
Nickel sulfate	150 to		1,800 to		1,100 to	1,100 to
Castor oil	1,500 to	1,500 to	150 to	200 to	50 to	50 to
Carbon black, lampblack	100 to	100 to	1,300 to		1,300 to	1,300 to
Shellac	250 to	100 to		260 to	600 to	600 to
Oil of Turpentine	3,500 to	3,000 to	140 to	140 to	140 to	140 to
Thorium oxide	6 to	7 to	3,300 to	3,500 to	3,500 to	3,500 to
Titanium dioxide	1,500 to	600 to			7 to	7 to
Tartaric acid	200 to	120 to	1,000		600 to	600 to
Zinc chloride	50 to	50 to			120 to	120 to
Zinc oxide	1,500 to	--	1,000 to	1,000 to	50 to	50 to
Zinc dust	400 to	--			1,000 to	1,000 to
Zinc white	1,000 to	--	1,500 to	1,000 to	1,000 to	1,000 to
Tin oxide	160 to	--		150 to	150 to	150 to
Citric acid	300 to	150 to			150 to	150 to
Ammonium chloride	300 to					
Urea	300 to					
Rutile (natural titanium dioxide)	1,600 to					
Tungstic anhydride	100 to					
Pyrocatechic acid	60 to	60 to				

1. ☐ Comment. Differences between the DHZ Chemie Import Plan and the East German Government Import Plan are due to the fact that the latter contains amounts imported by DIAs on direct orders from consumers. These orders do not pass through DHZ channels and thus are not included in the DHZ Chemie Import Plan.

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